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MEMORANDUM FOR: AD/ORR

SUBJECT: Highway and Rail Transportation Network in
Middle Eastern USSR

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REFERENCE:

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1. We have been asked [REDACTED] for the following information on highway and rail networks in Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Azerbaijan and Armenia:

- a. Main roads leading from Iran to Turkmenistan, Azerbaijan and Armenia.
- b. Main roads with their classifications along the southern borders of Tajikistan and Turkmenistan.
- c. Railways in Tajikistan and Turkmenistan with special reference to the Ashkhabad railway.
- d. Railways in Azerbaijan and Armenia with special reference to the Transcaucasian Railway from Batumi to Baku.
- e. Bridges and important terminals on the above railways.

2. Inasmuch as we must answer [REDACTED] within a month, at most, it is requested that your office provide information in response to the above in whatever fashion you deem most expedient and appropriate; either a specially prepared study or a collation of releasible items will be appreciated greatly.

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25X1A to [REDACTED] 3. Please refer any questions you may have concerning this request on extension 8641.

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Chief, RCM/OIS

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